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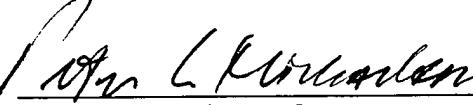
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Examiner: Luong Trung Nguyen
Title: ELECTRONIC CAMERA AND BATTERY VOLTAGE
CONTROLLING METHOD EMPLOYED THEREIN FOR
SUCCESSIVELY, RATHER THAN SIMULTANEOUSLY,
OPERATING CAMERA PORTIONS DURING CONDITIONS OF
LOW BATTERY VOLTAGE

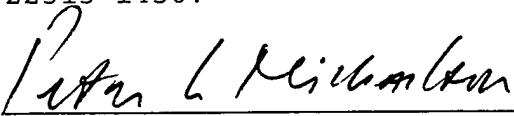
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09/888,269	06/22/2001	Hiroshi Akizuki	SANYO-74/DIV	9013

TITLE OF INVENTION: ELECTRONIC CAMERA AND BATTERY VOLTAGE CONTROLLING METHOD EMPLOYED THEREIN FOR SUCCESSIVELY, RATHER THAN SIMULTANEOUSLY, OPERATING CAMERA PORTIONS DURING CONDITIONS OF LOW BATTERY VOLTAGE

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